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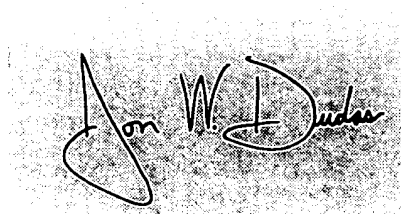
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

ON THE TITLE PAGE

Item 56 right column, under Other Publications, line 3, please replace "System Science," with --System Sciences,--.

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